

City of Loma Linda Official Report

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COUNCIL AGENDA:

April 26, 2005

TO:

City Council

VIA:

Dennis R. Halloway, City Manager

FROM:

T. Jarb Thaipejr, Public Works Director/City Engineer

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SUBJECT:

Award Contract for the Installation of a Traffic Signal at Redlands

Boulevard and Richardson Street

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the City Council reject the bid received for the installation of a traffic signal at Redlands Boulevard and Richardson Street and authorize staff to re-bid this project.

BACKGROUND

The intersection of Redlands Boulevard and Richardson Street has experienced increased traffic and crossing delay time. The conflicting crossing movements have created a hazard that has been identified as eligible for grant funding. The City was awarded a Federal Hazard Elimination Safety (HES) grant in the amount of \$141,750 to install a traffic signal at this intersection.

ANALYSIS

One bid was received and publicly opened on April 19, 2005. The bidder, Steiny and Company, Inc. of Baldwin Park, provided a bid of \$196,080. This bid is \$71,400 above the Engineer's estimate of \$124,680. Due to the high bid and lack of competition, staff recommends readvertising the project for a longer period of time to solicit a more competitive response. Staff will vigorously encourage past bidders of similar projects to submit a bid for this project.

Attachment

City of Loma Linda

BID OPENING DATE: April 19, 2005 Traffic Signal at Redlands Blvd and Richardson St

| | | | | Engineer | Engineering Estimate | Steiny ar | Steiny and Company |
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| ITEM | | | | TINO | | LIND | |
| NO. | DESCRIPTION | LINO | QUANTITY | PRICE | TOTAL | PRICE | TOTAL |
| ~ | Mobilization | L.S. | _ | 14,655.00 | 14,655.00 | 19,600.00 | 19,600.00 |
| 2 | Traffic Signal | L.S. | _ | 63,500.00 | 63,500.00 | 100,710.25 | 100,710.25 |
| 8 | PCC Sidewalk | S.F. | 1,800 | 00.9 | 10,800.00 | 60.9 | 10,962.00 |
| 4 | PCC Access Ramp | EA. | 3 | 2,500.00 | 7,500.00 | 997.50 | 2,992.50 |
| 5 | 6' Block Wall | Т. | 285 | 35.00 | 9,975.00 | 93.45 | 26,633.25 |
| 9 | Clearing and Grubbing | L.S. | ~ | 5,000.00 | 5,000.00 | 15,750.00 | 15,750.00 |
| 7 | Stripping and Marking | L.S. | • | 5,500.00 | 5,500.00 | 6,232.00 | 6,232.00 |
| ∞ | Relocate Fire Hydrant | EA. | _ | 3,000.00 | 3,000.00 | 4,200.00 | 4,200.00 |
| 6 | Signs | EA. | 3 | 250.00 | 750.00 | 200.00 | 00'009 |
| 10 | Remove and Replace X-Gutter | S.F. | 200 | 8.00 | 4,000.00 | 16.80 | 8,400.00 |
| | GRAND TOTAL | | | | \$124,680.00 | | \$196,080.00 |